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and Other Autoimmunopathies*

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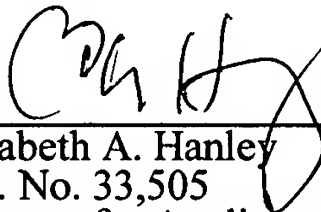
Dear Sir:

An Information Disclosure Statement was filed in the above-identified application on March 22, 2002. It has come to our attention that the references cited in that Information Disclosure Statement were submitted to the Patent Office in error.

Accordingly, Applicants request that the Information Disclosure Statement filed on March 22, 2002 be disregarded and withdrawn.

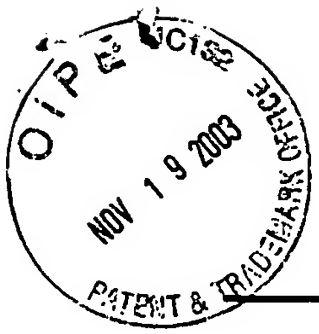
It is believed that no fee is due for this request. However, please charge any necessary fees to our Deposit Account No. 12-0080. The undersigned requests any extensions of time necessary to respond.

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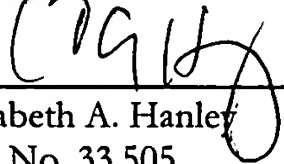
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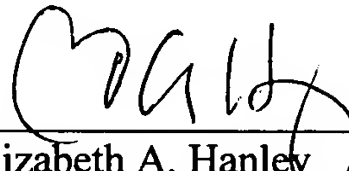
Dear Sir:

Applicants and their Attorney are aware of the following publications and information cited in an International Search Report mailed January 19, 2001 during the prosecution of PCT/EP00/06025, which corresponds to the above-referenced application. Each reference is listed on the attached PTO Form 1449, and in accordance with 37 CFR §1.97 Applicants hereby submit these publications for the Examiner's consideration. A copy of each cited publication is enclosed.

This statement is not to be interpreted as a representation that the cited publications are material, that an exhaustive search has been conducted, or that no other relevant information exists. Nor shall the citation of any publication herein be construed *per se* as a representation that such publication is prior art. Moreover, Applicants understand that the Examiner will make an independent evaluation of the cited publications.

Under 37 CFR § 1.97(b)(3), no additional costs are believed to be due in connection with the filing of this disclosure. If, however, a first Office Action on the merits issues in this application bearing a mailing date prior to the date of this Information Disclosure Statement, please charge the appropriate fee as required under 37 CFR §1.17(p) to our Deposit Order Account No. 12-0080.

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